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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Assistant Commissioner of Patents
 Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In connection with the prosecution of the captioned application, which claims priority to an international patent application PCP/IB99/00907, filed May 7, 1999, please consider the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

In Claim 3, line 1, please delete "either Claim 1 or Claim 2" and substitute -- Claim 1 -- therefor.

In Claim 4, line 1, please delete "either Claim 2 or 3" and substitute - - Claim 2 - - therefor.

In Claim 6, line 1, please delete "Claims 4 or 5" and substitute - - Claim 4 - - therefor.

In Claim 9, line 1, please delete "either Claim 2 or 3" and substitute - - Claim 2 - - therefor.

In Claim 11, line 1, please delete "any one of Claims 4-10" and substitute - - Claim 4 - - therefor.

In Claim 17, line 1, please delete "any of the previous claims" and substitute - - Claim 1 - - therefor.

In Claim 19, line 1, please delete "either one of Claim 17 or 18" and substitute - - Claim 17 - - therefor.

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